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Hangkong, September 4, 1890.

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THE BANK receives Money on Deposit Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, best services in the future as in the past. Issues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, and Transacts Banking and We shall continue to import Daugs, Agoncy Business generally, on terms to CHEMICALS, and Goods of every kind of the BEST QUALITY ONLY as heretofore, at INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS: Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum prices that will be found to compare favourably with local rates, and in many instances ON CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS 2 per

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LONDON OFFICE, 3.-Depositors in the Savings' Bank having 166. Fondburch Street, E.C. \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY, Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Cor-21st January, 1891. poration on fixed deposit for 12 months

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

NFORMATION has been Received from the Military Authorities that ARTILLERY PRACTICE will take place from the Batteries at Lyemun in North-Westerly and Easterly directions, North Point in a North-Easterly direction, and Kowloon Dock in an Easterly direction from the 18th to 21st Instants, between the hours of 0 a.m. and 5 p.m. daily. All Ships, Junks and other Vessels are

thee Bank if marked On Hongbong Savings Bank Business is forwarded free CAUTIONED to keep clear of the Ranges. by the various British Post Offices in By Command, W. M. DEANE, 7. - Withdrawals may be made on demand.

but the personel attendance of the Acting Colonial Secretary. depositor or his duly appointed agent, COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE. and the production of his Pass-Book Hongkong, 11th March, 1891. THE BALMORAL GOLD MINING

Hongkong, 10th March, 1891.

THE BALMORAL GOLD MINING

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NTOTICE is hereby given, That an EX-

the above COMPANY will be held at the

HONGKONG HOTEL, VICTORIA, in the Co-

lony of Honokone, at 2.45 o'clock P.M., on

WEDNESDAY, the 25th day of MARCH,

1891, for the purpose of considering, and if

approved of passing, the following Special

"That the Capital of The Balmoral Gold

Mining Company, Limited, be in-

" creased from \$180,000 to \$225,000 by

"given as the Directors shall deter-

Scoretary.

K. A. STEVENS,

Secretary.

HONGKONG & SHAROHAI BANKING COMPANY, LIMITED. CORPORATION. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

tember, 1890. --

Resolution !-

F. DE BOVIS, Acting Thief Mas ager. Hongkoug, January 1, 1891.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING | 25th day of MARCH, 1891, at 2 30 r.m. in

CORPORATION. PAID-UP CAPITAL,\$9,296,677.07

RESERVE FUND, \$6,806,598.31 RESERVE TARRESTY OF \$ 80,290,677.07 PROPRIETOES,

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-J. S. Moses, Esq. Deputy Chairman - S. C. MICHAEISEN, Esq. H. L. DALRYMPLE, | Hon. J. J. KESWICK. ALEX. McConachie, T. E. DAVIES, Esq.

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By Order of the Board of Directors. F. DE BOVIS. K. A. STEVENS. Acting Chief Manager. Hongkong, March 11, 1891.

號六十月三年一十九百八千一英

Business Notices.

MUSICAL DEPARTMET.

SELECTION.OF TIOLINS, TENORS, BANJOS, GUITARS, MANDOLINES AND ZITHERS. CORNETS, SAXHORNS, BARITONES, EUPHONIUMS, AND TROMBONES. CLARINETS, OBOES, FLUTES, PICCOLOS, FIFES AND FLAGEOLETES. VIOLIN, BANJO, GUITAR AND MANDOLINE STRINGS.

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W. POWELL & Co. VICTORIA EXCHANGE, March 14, 1891.

Victoria Ractel. Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

MIHIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positious in the Colony and commanding a splend'd view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c , has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place. The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East.

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Messis. DORABJEE & HING KEE. Proprietore. 1. Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

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THREAD and CASHMERE SOCKS; PATENT LEATHER PUMPS and SHOES, &c., &c., &c.

Intimations.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

TT is hereby notified for Public information that it is proposed to carry out FIELD FIRING at Kowloon on TUES-DAY, the 17th Instant, between the hours of 8.30 and 11 a.m.

A line drawn from Mount Foster to Barrack Hill and from Mount Anderson to Observatory Hill defines the limits within which the firing will take place. By Command, W. M. DEANE,

Acting Colonial Secretary. COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Hongkong, March 9th, 1891.

NOTICE. SPECTACLES AND EYE-GLASSES

Wollenstone's and

Achromatic Spectacles, AS USED BY ALL CROWNED HEADS OF EUROPE. All the principal opthalmic surgeons in England, India and Europe prescribe them to their patients.

THE ORDINARY YEARLY MEET-ING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the HONGKONG HOTEL OR WEDNESDAY, the the Afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and a State-Mr. L. ABRAHAMSON, ment of Accounts to the 30th day of Sep-

OCULIST-OPTICIAN. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Coms-now-in-HONCKONG and may be con-PANY will be CLOSED from the 18th insulted at the CONNAUGHT HOUSE. stant to the 25th Instant, both days inclu-FOR TEN DAYS ONLY! 490 NOTICE. By Order of the Board of Directors,

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

ITHE Annual General MEETING of the MEMBERS of the HONGKOLG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE will be he'd on FRIDAY, the 20th March, at 3.30 p.m., at the Rooms of the CHAMBER, TRA-ORDINARY GENERAL City Hall, for the purpose of receiving the MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of Report of the Committee, and passing the Secretary's Accounts for the year ending Slat December, 1890.

By Order, F. HENDERSON, . Secretary.

Hongkong, March 11, 1891, THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

"the creation of Four Thousand and THE Eighth Ordinary General MEET.
"Five Hundred NewShares of 810 each ING of SHAREHOLDERS will be ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the "the Meeting, and if no direction be ing a Consulting Committee and Auditors. Accounts to the 31st December, 1890.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company both days inclusive. RUSSELL & Co.

a General Managers. Hongkong, March 13, 1891.

intimations. WANTED.

SECOND-HAND ENGLISH BILLIARD TABLE. Apply to 'A. B. C., care of China Mail

Hongking, March 10, 1891. LUZON SUGAR REFINING. RUSSELL & Co.,

COMPANY, LIMITED. THE Ninth Ordinary ANNUAL MEET. ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the OFFICE of the General Agents, Pedder's Street, on THURSDAY, the 26th March, at Noon, for General Agents with a Statement of Ac-

the purpose of receiving a Report from the counts to the 31st December, 1890. The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 16th to the 26th March, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Agents. Hongkong, March 9, 1891.

 \mathbf{THE} HONGKONG ALMANACK For the Year of Our Lord 1891.

BRÜCE SHEPHERD.

CONTAINING :- The Calendars and Year computed to Hongkong Civil Time; information respecting The Colony and the several Government DEPARTMENTS. METEOROLOGICAL, VITAL, and GENERAL STATISTICS; TIDE TABLES, POSTAL REGULATIONS, STAMP cial and Professional DIRECTORY, Seaman's WAGES TABLE from \$1 to \$200 per month, WEATHER REPORT for the

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Hongkong, March 6, 1891. THE CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

"to be fully paid up. And that such held at the Orrids of the Company, Praya above Company will be held at the Office." New Shares be issued upon such Central, on MONDAY, the 30th March, at of the General Agents, Pedder's Street, on "terms and conditions and generally 3 o'Clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose SATURDAY, the 21st Morch, at 11 a.m., with such rights and privileges as of receiving the Report of the General for the purpose of receiving a Report from "shall be resolved upon or directed at | Managers, declaring a Dividend, and elect | the General Agents; with a Statement of The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 15th to 30th Instant, will be CLOSED from the 6th to the 21s March, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, February 28, 1891.

Intimations.

1845.

VICTORIA ENGLISH SCHOOL. BOYS' SCHOOL, | GIRLS' SCHOOL, 49, PEEL STREET. 55, PEEL STREET.

THIS SCHOOL formorly carried on by in future be conducted by Mr. W. D. the 23rd March, 1891, at Noon, at H.M. BRAIDWOOD, M.A. (Phil.), C.M.; assist. Naval Yord,—ed.by Mr. A. A. WATTS, C.M.—SUNDRY-NA In addition to the Ordinary Branches. the following Subjects are included in the curriculum :- Euclid, Algebra, Latin.

DRAWING, HISTORY, GEOGRAPHY, (PHYSICAL und Political) and Book-KEEPING. THE GIRLS' SCHOOL is conducted by Miss TAYLOR. BOARDERS are received in both Do-

partments.

|Hongkong, March 14, 1891. JOUTRIE, ROBÎNSON & Co., From J. Broadwood & Sons and COLLARD & COLLARD),

Will shortly OPEN a Branch House in Hongkong and show a Large and Varied PIANOS, and ORGANS, MUSIC

anđ every description of

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS SALE, HIRE, Purchase by Monthly Payments.

We shall be prepared to undertake the REPAIRING OF REBUILDING THROUGHOUT of PIANOS, PIPE or REED ORGANS, &c. on Free Estimates. We employ a Large Staff of Native Workmen, and all our Foreign Tuners & Repairers have been trained in the best Factories, and we will GUARANTEE all our Work. MOUTRIE, ROBINSON & Co.,

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CALDBECK MACGREGOR & Wine and Spirit Merchants,

Ale and Stout Merchants, 13. Queen's Road, Hongkong. Agencies in all the Principal Ports of

China and Japan. Hongkong, December 22, 1890. STRAITS FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED. THE Transfer BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED at HEAD OFFICE, SINGAPORE, from the 11th to the 26th March next, both days inclusive. ROBT. BAIRD.

- Hongkoog; Pebruary 26, 1891. THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFAC TURING COMPANY, LIMITED.

ING of SHAREHOLDERS will be immediately after landing. held at the Office of the Company, Praya Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, declaring a Dividend, and electing a Consulting Committee and the Undersigned.

will be CLOSED from 8th to the 23rd Instant, both days inclusive.

General Managers. Hongkoug, March 6, 1891.

OANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1800.

CONTRIBUTORS to the above OFFICE. are requested to Furnish the Undersigned with a List of their Contributions for the year ending 31st December, 1890, in Order that the DISTRIBUTION of BONUS may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 31st DAY OF MARCH INSTANT, STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGAwill be adjusted by the Ofrice, and no Claims or Altorations will be subsequently admitted.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents, CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. Hongkong, March 2, 1891. .

THE HONGKONG O ASTRONOMICAL PHENOMENA for the LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY. LIMITED.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL,.....\$5,000,000 PAID-UP OAPITAL,..... 2,500,000 DUTIES, TELEGRAPHIC GUIDE, IN Offi. RESERVE FUND,...... 1,250,000 Board of Directors: Hon. J. J. KESWICK, . CHAIRMAN. | Managing

(Directors: VICE-CHAIRMAN. J LEE SING, Esq. S. C. MICHAELSEN, Esq. J. S. MOSES, Esq. G. E. NOBLE, Esq. POON PONG, Esq. D. R. SASSOON, Esq.

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Company's OFFICES, No. 5, Queen's Road A SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary. Victoria Buildings. Hongkong, 3rd May, 1889.

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Auctions. PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instruct L tions from H. M. NAVAL STOREKEEPER, to Soll by Public Auction, on MONDAY,

-sundry-naval-&-viotealling-

CONDEMNED STORES, comprising :-OLD IRON, PAPER STUFF, CHAIN-CABLE, Hoses, Canvas Rags, Metal Tubes, Pro-VISIONS, CLOTHING and IMPLEMENTS.

TERMS OF SALE. -As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Government Auctioneer. Hongkong, March 14, 1891.

> For Sale. FOR SALE.

COLLARD AND COLLARD COTTAGE PIANO-Trichord-Iron Frame, built to stand climate—polished dark Oak Gase—in First Rate Condition; can be seen on application to

A. H. OUGH, - ISADATE, ICOWLOON. Hongkong, March 14, 1891.

FOR SALE. CHEAP! TO CLEAR. QUANTITY OF LADY'S WATER-PROOFS of different qualties,

from \$2.50 each upwards. G. R. LAMMERT. Duddell Street. Hongkong, March 13, 1891.

Notices to Consignees. NOTICE.

FIHE S.S. Arratoon Apear having had a FIRE on Board, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified that before taking dolivery, they will be required to sign a General Average Bond and to give security for the payment of their contributions if necessary. They must also give full parti-culars of their Cargo and the sound market value of their Goods as on the 12th March,

Hongkong, March 14, 1891. STEAMSHIP MELBOURNE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ex S.S. Douro, and Erymanthe from Havre ex S. S. Erymanthe, and from Bordeaux ex S.S. Pt. Leroy Lollier, and Fred. Morel, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods-with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables—are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's THE Seventh Ordinary General MEET. Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless R N.E., will leave for the above place about Central, on MONDAY, 23rd March, at intimation is received from the Consignees 24 hours after arrival here with the outward before 10 a.m. To-Morrow (Friday), the 13th | Mails. Instant, requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by Goods remaining unclaimed after The Transfer BOOKS of the Company | FRIDAY, the 20th Inst., at Noon, will be

subject to rent, and landing charges at one cent per packet per diem.

All Claims must be sent in to me on or before the 21st Inst. (SATURDAY), or they will not be recognised. Damaged packages will be examined on FRIDAY, the 20th Inst., at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, March 12-1801. Shipping.

Steamers. SAKI AND KOBE,

(Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship
Verona,
Captain F. H. SEYMOUR, will leave for the above places on SATUR. DAY the 21st Instant, at Daylight.

E. L. WOODIN, P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, March 11, 1891.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO AND BOMBAY. Having connection with Company's Mail Steamer to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID.

TRIESTE, VENICE & FIUME.

The Co.'s Steamship Meipomene, Capt. A. Mriris, will be despatched as above on Meipomene. the 22nd Inst., at 10-o'clock, taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GOLF, BLAUK SEA, LEVANT AND ADRIATIC PORTS. Cargo will not be received on board after 3 p.m. prior to date of sailing. Eor further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agento. Bongkong, March 12, 1891. STEAM TO STRAITS & BOMBAY. (Calling at COLOMBO if sufficient inducement offers.)

The P. & O. S. N. Co. s.
Steamship
Teheran,
Captain C. D. Saus, B.N.R. will leave for the above places on WEDNESDAY, the 25th Inst., at Noon. E. L. WOODIN,

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Shipping.

Steamers. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

The Steamship Arratoon Apcar. Captain J. G. SPENCE, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 17t Instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passago, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, March 16, 1891. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship

 $Pittroctus_{\star}$ Capt. PULFORD, will be desputched as above TO-MORROW, the 17th Instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents. 🎠 📜 Hongkong, March 16, 1891. - 49 MOGUL LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. The Steamship Macduff.

Captain PORTER, will be despatched on the 18th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, March 11, 1891.

THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL

STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED. FOR LONDON. The Co.'s Steamship Keemun. WM. DURDIN, Commdr., will be despatched as

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, March 6, 1891. 510 FOR SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, SAMA-

above on or about the 18th Instant.

For Freight, apply to .

RANG AND SOURABAYA. The Steamship Tetartos. Capt. Breitung, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 19th Instant, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, March 14, 1891.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Captain J. L. PARFITI,

E. L. WOODIN. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, March 11, 1891.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ. The Steamship Captain BROOKER, due at the end of March, willhave immediate despatch.

For Freight, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, March 13, 1891.

GLEN LINE OF STRAM PACKETS FOR LONDON FIA SUEZ CANAL The Steamship

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P. & O. S. N. Co. a Office. 844 | Hongkong, March 11, 1891.

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There is a charm about her maidenliness which is irresistible. PROGRAMME FOR SEASON (which will be strictly adhered to). HAMLET.—SATURDAY and TUES-DAY, 21st and 24th Instant.

MERCHANT OF VENICE.—THURS-DAY, 26th. RICHARD III. SATURDAY, 28th. ROMEO AND JULIET. - WEDNESDAY | tember, 1890. and THURSDAY, 1st and 2nd

ROB ROY -SATURDAY and MON-DAY, 4th and 6th April. OTHELLO. - WEDNESDAY, 8th. LADY OF LYONS. -THURSDAY, 9th. FAREWELL PERFORMANCE. MACBETH-SATURDAY, 11th.

Opinion of the Englishman (Colcutta):-'Mr. MILN is the FIRST MANAGER who has attempted an ADEQUATE STAGING of these GREAT PLAYS IN INDIA. Price \$2 and \$1, Soldiers in Uniform Half Price to One Dollar Seats. Box Plan now open at KELLY & WALSH, T. H. PEATLING. Hongkong, March 16, 1891.

ROYAL, CITY HALL.

DRAMATIC CLUB. INHE above CLUB will give a

I PERFORMANCE MONDAY, March 30th,

TUESDAY, March 31st. When will be produced an ORIGINAL COMEDY by JAMES ALBERY, entitled ROSES. TWO

By kind permission of LIEUR. -COLONEL CHATER and the OFFICERS, the BAND of the 1st Battn. Argyli and Sutherland Highlanders will per-

form during the evening. Tickets can be obtained from Messrs, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., on and after Monday, March 23rd, at 11 a.m.

PRICE, - - - \$2 and \$1. Doors open at 8.30 p.m. Performance to commence at 9 o'Clock p.m. Hongkong, March 16, 1891.

CANTON DISTRICT.

LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS,

PILES OF WHAMPOA BARRIER CARRIED AWAY.

APTAINS of Vessels are hereby notiified, that no reliance can be placed on the position of the Green Light at the Whampoa barrier, (Li-te Cha) until the outer piles on the South side-recently carried away-are replaced; due notice of which will be given.

J. H. MAY, Harbour Master.

Approved: F. E. WOODRUFF, Commissioner. CUSTOM HOUSE, Canton, 14th March, 1891. THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL

STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LONDON, LIVERPOOL AND SINGAPORE.

ITHE Company's Steamship Chinggo having arrived from the above Ports. Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY. Limited. Kowloop, whence delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the OFFICE of the Undersigned, before Noon on the 22nd Instant, or they will not be recognized: All broken, chated, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 22nd Inst., at 4 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 22nd Inst. will be subject to rent. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

___ D___Agents, ___ Hongkong, March 16, 1891.

To-day's Advertisements. To-day's Advertisements. To-day's Advertisements.

OCCIDENTAL & ORIENTAL STEAM SHIP COMPANY. NOTICE,

DURING my Absence from Hongkong, Mr. J. S. VAN BUREN takes CHARGE of the BURINESS of the Company as CHAS. D. HARMAN,

Hongkong, March 14th, 1891. PACIFIC MAIL STEAM SHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE. DURING my Absence from Hongkong, Mr. J. S. VAN BUREN takes

CHARGE of the Business of the Company is Acting Agent. CHAS. D. HARMAN,

Hongkong, March 14th, 1981.

CATHAY CHAPTER, No. 1165.

Regular CONVOCATION of the above CHAPTER will be held in the FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on FRIDAY NEXT, the 20th Instant, at 8.50 for 9 p.m. precisely. VISITING BRETHREN tre cordially invited. Hongkong, March 16, 1891.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

A. COMPETITION for the Long Range Handican Subscription CUP and Range SPOONS will be held on SATUR-DAY, the 21st Instant, at 3.30 p.m. Disances-800 and 900 Yards. Ten Shots at each. Position, any. Entrance Fee, 30

A Launch will leave the P. & O. Pier at 3 o'Clock p.m. to convey Competitors. Hon, Secretary.

Hongkong, March 16, 1891. THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA SAMANTAN MINING COM-PANY, LIMITED.

THE Fifth Ordinary Half-Yearly MEET. ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 9, Queen's Road, on IUESDAY, the 31st March, 1891, at 4 °o'Clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with B Statement of Accounts to the 30th Sep-

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 17th to the 30th Instant, both days inclusive.

A. O'D. GOURDIN,

Hongkong, March 16, 1891. THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA SAMANTAN MINING COM-PANY, LIMITED.

ATOTICE is hereby given that an EX-TRAORDINARY General MEET. ING of the above Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company No. 9. Queen's Road, Hongkong, on TUESDAY the Bist day of March, 1891, at 4.15 o'clock p m., for the purpose of considering and, if though fit, passing Resolutions to alter the Articles of Association and authorizing the increase of the Capital of the Company Yokohama, on TUESDAY, the 24th Kwang bee, for the mighai. by the issue of 62,000 New Shares of St | March, 1891, at Daylight, connection being | City of Rio de Janeiro, for San Francisco. each, and to authorize the Directors to THE HONGKONG AMATEUR abandon or otherwise dispose of the Sunghie Dua Samantan property, and to strike out paragraph No. 5 of Article XIII and equisting the following in lieu there-

The Company-may from time to time, by ___resolution passed by at least threefourths of the votes of the Shareholders present personally or by proxy at any Extraordinary Meeting. repeal or make new provisions in lieu of or in addition to any regulations of the Company, whether contained in the Articles of Association

or not. By Order of the Board of Directors, A. O'D. GOURDIN.

Hongkong, March 16, 1891.

U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY. THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA

OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING AT YOKOHAMA AND SAN FRANCISCO. TIHE U. S. Mail Steamship CHINA will be despatched for SAN FRAN

CISCO, vid YOKOHAMA, on THURS. DAY, the 2nd April, at 1 p.m., taking Passengers and Breight for Jupan, the United States, and Europe. Through Bills of Lading issued for trans-

portation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to Sau Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidall, and Domerara, and to ports in Mexico. Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted England, France, and Germany by all

trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. First-class Fares granted as follows :-To San Francisco\$225.00 To San Francisco and return 393.75 available for 6 months ... To Liverpool 325.00

l'o other European points at proportion ate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service. and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on application.

Passengers by this Line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and connecting Lines, Central Pacifie, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific

Passengers, who have paid full fare, reembarking at San Francisco for China or. Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10 %. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China ed by the Medical Profession.

and Japan to Europe. Freight will be received on board until 4 p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parce. Packages will be received at the office until p.ra., same day; all Parcel Packageshould be marked to address in full; value of same is required.

Consular invoices to accompany Cargo distinct to points beyond San Francisco. in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Oustoms at San

For further information as to Pastage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 504, Queen's Road Central. J. S. VAN BUREN.

THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAL, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

The Co.'s Steamblip O. DE LA PERELLE, Commander, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 17th Instant, at Daylight. For Freight, apply to

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hougkong, March 16, 1891.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. -POR-SHANGHAI (DIRECT.) :-(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-

CHAYANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW-

-and-Paris-on-the-YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship Captain Hannan, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 17th Instant, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BOTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, March 16, 1891. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

- LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUL The Co.'s Steamship

Captain Davis, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 18th Inst., at Daylight, instead of as previously advertised. & Co. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, March 16, 1891. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND

YOROHAMA. The Steamship Breconshire,
Captain Jackson, will
be despatched on or about the 23rd Instant.

For Freight or Passage, app'; to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, March 16, 1891.

Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

FAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE,

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS. ATLANTIO & OTHER CONNECTING DINE, MATHESON & Co.-

STEAMERS.

THE Steamship GAELIC will be despatched for San Francisco, viá Neckar, for Europe. made at Yokohama, with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Porte. All Parcel Packages should be marked to Remus, for Nagasaki and San Francisco.

address in full; and same will be received | Kong Beng, for Swatow. at the Company's Office until 5 p.m. the. lay previous to sailing. First-class Fares granted as follows :---To San Francisco \$225.00 To San Francisco and return, 393.75 available for 6 months ...]

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Passengers, who have paid full fare, reembarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice veria) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10 %. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be zont to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco.

For further information as to Freigh. or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 5th, Queen's boad Central J. S. VAN BUREN, Acting Agent.

DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA. IMITED.

CHEMISTS, &c. VINOLIA SOAP

Hengkong, March 16, 1891.

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A Plastic Emollient Cream for the Skin in health and disease. Relieves Itching. Insect Bites, Sunburns, Chafes, Prickly Heat, and all Skin Irritations at once. Unequalled for the Nursery. Recommend-VINOLIA POWDER

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TELEPHONE No. 69. Not. 22 & 24, QUEEN'S ROAD 469 Per Nec'ar, in m Hongkong ; for Genoa.

SUMMER SEASON TEW DRESS MATERIALS.

NEW COSTUMES. NEW SUNSHADES. NEW HOSIERY.

NEW LACES. NEW EMBROIDERIES.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. March 15, 1891 :-

Sungkiung, British steamer, 994, Dode Swatow March 14, General. - Burrerriele & SWIRE. Tai Lee, German steamer, 824, Calender,

Amoy March 14, General.—Bun Hin Chan. Yungching, Chipese steamer, 761, Lowe, Shanghai March 11, General. - (),

Canton, British steamer, 1,110, J. Sollar, Shanghai March 11, General,—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Cosmopolit, German steamer, 552, A. Holtz Holhow March 13, General. - Wieler

Glaucus, British steamer, 1,381, Hannah Liverpool January 31, and Singapore March General. -BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Amoy, German steamer, 814, Th. Lehmann, Wuhu March 11, Rice, SIEMSSEN

Dunar, German str., 1,649, B. Grundmann, Cardiff January 21, Coal -MEL-CHERS & Co.

March 16 :— Ching-wo, British str., 1,556, Clement De La Perelle, Liverpool and Singapore March , General -ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Deuteros, Gorman steamer, 1,197, W. Dinse, Saigon March 10, Rice. SIEMSSEN

Activ, Danish steamer, 355, H. Hygom, Haiphong March 13, General -A. R MARTY.

Patroclus, British steamer, 1,386, J. Pulford, Yokohama and Nagasaki March 11, strong E.N.E. winds and heavy sea. General. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Frejr, Danish steamer, 397, C. A. Lund 634 Pakhoi March 12, and Hoihow 15, General

-Aenhold, Karberg & Co. Clyde, British steamer, 4,093, J. L. Parfitt, R. N.R., London January 29, and Singapore March 11, Mails and General .- P. &-0.-8. N. Co.

Verona, British steamer, 1,876, F. H. Seymour, Yokohama March 7. Mails and General .- P. & O. S. N. Co. Lyeemoon, German steamer, 1,238, G

Henermann, Shanghai March 12, General -Siemssen, & Co. Borneo, Dutch steamer, 1,490, H. Klein, Saigon March 11, Sugar and Rice, -JAR-High North-Easterly awell, and fresh

March 15 Formosa, for Swatow. Abyssinia, for Salgon.

March 16 :-Dardanus, for Shanghai. Yung Ching, for Whamooa. Canton, for Whampon. Sungkiang, for Whampoa. Memmon, for Hollow and Sandakan. Haiphong, for Haiphong. M'cano, for Manila.

Woosung, for Taiwanfoo. OLEARED Alwine, for Hoinew. Pokien, for Swatow. Claucus, for Shanghai,

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED. Per Yungching, from Shanghai, 11 Chi-Per Glaucus, from Singapore, &c., Mr. Lant. and 74 Chinese. Per Amoy, from Wuhu, 25 Chinese.

Per Ching-wo, from Singapore, 250 Chi-Per Deuteros, from Saigon, 26 Chinese. Per Activ, from Haiphong, 10 Chinese. Per Patrocius, from Yokohama: for Hongkung, 2 Chinese; for Penang, Mr.

Whistler; for London, Mrs James and 5 children, Mrs Blackmore and child. Per Freir, from Pakhoi, &c., Mr Schuinburg, and 44 Chinese. Per Verena, from Yokokhama: for Hougkong, Captain G. Stevens, Lord Wolverton and valet, Mr Ah Leong, and 23

Chinese : for Singapore, Mr H. W. Perry for Brindisi, Dr Thornicroft. . Per Ciyde, for Hongkong : from London, Miss Joceland : from Brindisi, Messra Houston, P. Jordan, E. Jones and J. H. Watson; from Bombsy, Rev. Dr Murdoch, Mr W. H. Crowe, and Mr R. D. Tata : from Colombo, Mr and Mrs Moller, Miss and Master Moller; from Singapore, Rev. and Mrs Mansell, Mr and Mrs Sand, Mr A. Tyson, Miss Leeky, Messrs J. C. Berger. Choo Moh Guan. Wong Hong, How Tong. Gordon Cotton, Ng Ahteng, Douglas Dick Hock Knee Long, Woo Swee Tye, and 36 Chinese. For Shanghai : from London, Mr and Mrs Halliday, Messre J. Rickin," Twopenny and F. Reynolds; from Brindiei, Baron and Baroness Campbell and maid. Mr and Mrs C. Dawson, Miss Gardner, Mr C. Champion, Mr Vingren, Mr and Mrs Ede: from Ismailia, Mr Percival: from Bombay, Mr J. Hoosenbhoy, and Major A. Harding; from Singapore, Mr W. A. Oram and servant. For Yokohama: from London. Measrs Wortherspoon, Sturdee, Mr and Mrs Blacklock, Mr E. B. Little, Captain and Mrs A. Thom; son, Mr and Mrs Dodds. child and maid, Miss Lee, and Miss Wilcox: from Brindisi, Mesers Bachr and E. C Hannen; from Ismaila, Mr and Mrs Lambe: from Colombo, Mr and Mrs Strachan, Sir. J. Gladatone, Mr and Mrs Corbett, Col. Hall, Mrs Moller's maid, Sir J. Gladstone's

M. Sage ; from Penang, Major Cameron. Per Borneo, from Saigon, 92 Chinese. DEPARTED. Per City of Rio de Janeiro, for Yokohama. Mr P. G. Heerman, and 3 Europeans ; for San Francisco, Mr and Mrs Chas. D. Harman for London, Mr Chas. J. Barnes; for Liverpool, Miss Annie Woods, and Mr Alex.

pore, General E. Stedman, Mr and Mrs E.

Business Notices.

HOMOVONO TRADING CO LIMP IIUIIUIIUIII

AND CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENTS.

NEW HANDKERCHIEFS. NEW BOOTS AND SHOES.

NEW PREMISES, Corner of Duddell Street. Mr Pastor Hartmann, and Mrs Hartman,

children and amah, Miss Rowe, Captain Hasenwinckel, and Captain Christensen; for. Southampton, Mrs Jackson, Baby, 2 children and dren and amah, Mrs Pocock, 4 children and amnh. Mesers - McKochnie and Wobh; for Bremen, Messra Kring and Gustav Koehn; for Singapore, Mr and Mrs Henry F. Fort-mann and 2 children, Messrs Wu Thean Tew, Wy Mian, F. Simas, and 18 Chinese. From Amoy: for Bremen, 3 children, From Foochow: for Southampton, Mrs Adams, 2 children and amala, From Shang, hai: for Genoa, Mr and Mrs Dyer; for Southampton, Mr and Mrs G. Davidson and 2 children, Messra Edward Buller, W. T. Dias. John Mudie and T. G. Murdoch. From Yokohama: for Genoa, Mr V. Mahien, and Captain Södesberg; for Southampton, Dr Cox, Mrs Cox, 2 children and European governess, and Mr Townall. From Hiogo: for Bremen, Mr and Mrs those of our Customers who prefer to have

Lenz, 5 children, European governess and amah, Captain Petersen, Mesara Moldt, H. Lundblad, Veilaum and Engel. From Nagasaki : for Southampton, Mrs Hillier, 2 children and amah, and Mr C. W. Camp-Per Kwang Lee, for Shanghai, 110 Chi-

Per Formosa, for Swatow, 3 Europeans, and 200 Chinese. TO DEPART.

Per Alwine, for Hoihow, 80 Chinese.

· SHIPPING REPORTS. - 🗓 The Chinese steamer Yungching reports: March 14th, passed French mail steamer bound N., and steamer Angers. The British steamer Guacus reports: Left Singapore 9th March, had fresh N.E. PURE AERATED WATER winds to Peracels; and thence to port, The German steamer Amoy reports: First part of voyage, light and moderate North-Easterly winds, with fine clear wes- LITHIA WATER

ther to Turnabout; thence to port, moderate N.N.E. gale, with a rough sea and overcast and misty weather; from Breaker Point very foggy. The German steamer Dunar reports From Red Ses, strong Southerly winds and heavy sea. Strong Easterly winds in China

Sea, and high head sea, squally and foggy The British steamer Ching-wo reports From March 9th to 14th, had moderate N.E. winds, and clear weather; from 15th to 16th March, variable light winds and

breeze from N.N.W. POST OFFICE NOTICES.

The Dutch steamer Borned reports

MAILS will close: For STRAITS & CALCUTTA .-Tuesday, the 17th just. For STRAITS & LONDON .-

Per Patroclus, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 17th inst. For SHANGHAL -the 17th inst. Per S. S. Clyde, on Tuesday, the 17th instant. For Shanghai, Registry

3.10 to 3.30 with 7 cents Late Fee. For SAIGON .--Per Deuteros, at 3.30 p.m., on Wednesday, the 18th inst.

ANG AND SOURABAYA .-Per Tetertos, at 3.30 p.m., on Thursday, the 19th inst. For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA

Per Verona, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the For STRAITS & BOMBAY .-Per Teheran, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday,

the 25th inst.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. -The British Contract Packet Rosetta will Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyoud, vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Netherlands India, Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and

Gibraltar. e usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

General Memoranda. WEDNESDAY, March 18:-9 p.m .- Performance at the City Hall. Transfer Books of The Balmore Gold Mining Co., Ltd., closed from this date

to the 25th Instant. HURSDAY March 19:-9 p.m.-Meeting of British Mercantile Marine Officers' Association. FRIDAY, March 20:--Goods per Steamer Melbourne unclaimed after Noon subject to cent.

merce at the City Hall SATURDAY, March 21 :--China Sugar Refining Co., Ltd., at

Rifle Association. 9 p.m. Performance at the City Hall. SUNDAY. March 22 :-Goods per Chingwo undelivered after this

date subject to rept.

MONDAY, March 23:-

Noon,-Austion of Sundries at H. M. Naval Yard. 3 p.m.—Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Co. Ltd., at Company's Office. servant, and Mr Sandback; from Sings-WEDNESDAY, March 25:-

2,30 and 2 45 p.m. - Meetings of Share holders of The Balmoral Gold Minto Co., Ltd., at the Hongkong Hotel. THURADAY, March 26 :-Noon. - Meeting of Shareholders of The Luzon Sugar Refining Co., Ld.

MONDAY, March 30 :--

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping.

Daylight. - Chingroo leaves for Shai, &c Noon. - Patrochia leaves for London. Noon. - Arratoon Apour leaves for Straits and Calcutta. 3 p.m - Glaucus leaves for Shanghal.

Meeting. 9 p.m .- Meeting of Zotland Lodge. Miscellaneous. 8.30 a.m. - Field Firing. 9 a.m. -Artillery Fractico.

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The Ohma Frail. about March 17th. The a. s. Wingsang, with mails &c. from Calcutta, left Singapore on the 11th HONGKONG, MONDAY, MARCH 16, 1891. Per Arratoon Apcar, at 11.30 a.m., on To read a story backward so as to be able to form a clear idea of what one reads is by no means as easy task. It is a sort of montal gymnastics that few would he Austro-Hung. L. S. N. Co. s steamship care to undertake. Yet we have often to do Melpomene, from Bombay, left Singa-Per Glaucus, at 2.30 p.m., on Tuesday, something of this sort in Hongkong. Reuter sends us the concluding episode of some important event and the details ceases at 2.45 p.m! Mail closes at are gradually amplified by telegrams 3 p.m. Late Letters received from taken from Singapore, Indian and Australian papers; and frequently we have the P. & O. a. s. Verona leit Nagasaki for this port on the 12th March.

to wait weeks, before we get the beginning of the story, by which time the end is For SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, SAMAR- forgotten. About two weeks ago we received a telegram stating that the North German Gazette declared that all Ger- 2.55 p.m. mans from the Alps to the Sea would unite in case of danger. It was highly improbable that this patrictic outburst was the result of pure wanton effusiveness. Evidently something had Messes Adamson Bell & Co. inform us that happened which threatened the peace of the Shire Line s. s. Breconshire, from Lon-Germany. What that thing was of course don, &c., left Singapore for this port to-Reuter did not tell us. We have only now day. be despatched on THURSDAY, the got the beginning of the story, and as it 19th instant, with Mails for the United is an important one, it may be well to string the events together in consecutive &c. from San Francisco to the 28th ultimo. order. 'Emperor William, desirous of improving the relations that exist between France and Germany, with a view possibly to a small relief from the heavy military burdens, prompted or acquiesced in a visit of the Empress Frederick to Paris. The Co.'s s. s. Melpomene, from Bombsy, left Empress went to Paris and seems at first to published on Saturday. The figure 62 should be 52. The numbers run thus 51,

have been cordially received. She succeedod in indusing the French paleters to exhibit at the Berlin exhibition and appeared to be making headway in her mission. But there is an infamous Society. in France known as the Ligua des Patriots. 52, 67. whose avowed object it is to keep alive and THE preliminary heats of the Regimental 3.30 p.m.—Meeting of Members of the inflame the popular animosity against Sports will take place on Tuesday and the Hongkong General Chamber of Com. Germany. The Empress had not been long finals on Wednesday. The Officers of the in Paris before an active crusade against Regiment will be glad to see their friends her was started by the leaders of the on the Ground. 11 a.m. Meeting of Shareholders of The Ligne, and so well did they work on popular feeling that the painters were A competition took place on figurday last 3.30 p.m.—Competition of the Hongkong forced to withdraw the promise they had for the Short Range Challenge Cup and given. Such an exhibition of puerile spite Spoons. Lieut. E. Martin, R. N., won the naturally roused a feeling of indignation in Cup and 500 yards apoon, making the ex-Germany. The vitriolic and ultra-patriotic cellent aggregate of the with one point short Cologne Gazette declared that Germany had of the highest possible at 500 yards. Mr been outraged, and demanded satisfaction Woodin took the 600 yards spoon. The from the French people and Government. light was fairly good on Saturday but there Then their fellowed engry articles in French was a strong and unsteady wind, which papers and the episode ended with the rendered good shooting difficult. Lieuts patriotic shout of the North Garman Gazette Martin and Haswell shot on Thursday and the departure of the Empress from and did not have such a strong wind to Paris, feeling doubtless that she had raised contend with. There were 10 competitors, a hornel's nest about her head. The whole and the best 6 scores are appended. event shows that after a lapse of 21 years the feeling of France towards Germany is

on a very cound tasis.

TELEGRAMS.

[SUPPLIED TO THE CHINA MAIL!] (Via Southern Line.)

LONDON AND PARIS CONNECTED BY TELEPHONE. London, 13th March, 1891. The telephone cable between London and Paris has been laid.

CEYLON TEA. A small quantity of Ceylon Tes from the Gartmore Estate has been sold at 2/6(1).

(From Singapore Papers.)

GREAT BRITAIN AND PORTUGAL London, 7th March,-Portugal refuses the conditions put forward by England regarding the African boundary question, a settlement is therefore considered impro-

THE CANADIAN ELECTIONS. The recent elections in Canada show that the Government majority has been reduced

EGYPT AND THE DERVISHES. London, 9th March .- The Souden force has dispersed, the Khedive having decreed a general amnesty.

The market on the Stock Exchange is The purest ingredients only are used, dopressed in consequence of forced sales on provincial account. SIR CHARLES DILKE. The Liberals in the Forest of Dean have

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PARLIAMENT. In the House of Commons the Redicals have renewed their attack with reference to the occupation of Tokar. The Right Hon'ble Edward Stanhope in reply said the

the Soudan. LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Government did not intend to reconquer

PASSED SURZ CANAL OUTWARD BOUND :- Glenmorven, Feb. 13 Breconshire, 17; Delta, 20; Glenfruin, Prometheus, Sachsen, Empress or-India, 24; Malwa, Moyune, Maria Teresa, Oceana, 27; Djemnah, Titan, Yungping, March 3; Northern, 6; Achilles, Chingping, 10.

HOMEWARD BOUND :- Palamed, Feb. 13; Lacrtes, 17; Hesperia, 24; Anchises, Glenearn, 27; Ajaz, Diomed, Glenlyon, March 3; Kriemhild, 6; Bayern, Saghalien, Pingsuey, 10. The Norddentscher Lloyd S. S. Compa-

ny's steamship Sachsen, with the GER-

MAN MAIL of 17th Jan., left Singapore on Sunday, the 15th March, and may be expected here on or about Thursday, the 19th March. The P. M. S. S. Co.'s s. s. China, with the AMERICAN MAIL of Feb. 28th, leaves Yokohama on Tuesday, 17th March. at daylight, and may be expected here on or about Monday, the 23rd March.

he Canadian Pacific s. s. Empress of India left England on the 8th Feb., and may be expected here on or about March Tho s. s. Macduff left Singapore on March 10th, and may be expected here on or

The Canadian Pacific s. s. Parthia, from

kong via ports on March 13.

Vancouver, left Yokohama for Hong-

March, and may be expected here on or about the 18th March The D. D. R. s. s. Aglaia, from Hamburg, left Singapore on March 13, and may be expected here on or about March

pore for this port on March 15th, and may be expected here on or about the The Shire Line s. s. Breconshire, from Lordon, &c., left Singapore on 16th March, and may be expected here on or about the March 22.

for this port on 5th March, morning. THE delivery of the English Mail was begun We would draw attention to the notice with

regard to the Green Light at the Whampon

The P. & O. steamer Venetic left Bombay

THE Agent of the Pacific Mail S. S. Co.

informs us that the s. s. China, with mails

has arrived at Yokohama and will leave

for this port to-morrow. Messes David Sassoon, Sons & Co, inform us that the Austro-Hung. Lloyd's S. N. Singapore for this port yesterday afternoom. A MISTARE occurred in the list of the Hongkong Hotel drawn detentures which we

Mr. A. M. Thomson, 0953355-22 58:4515-23

1891, 158 Europeans and 1,377 Chinese visited the City Hall Museum.

will perform the comedy Two Roses at the Theatre Royal on Monday and Tuesday, 30th and 31st inst.

overland to the North of Tankin or to Pak- pirates. hoi, and are sent thence to Hongkong. Hoihow, Canton, &c.

A serzone of 200 tacks of smuggled onium was made on board the British barque Wm. Le Lacheur to-day, by Mr Spooner, chief Excise Officer. The opium was found in the chief officer's cabin and has apparently been brought from San Francisco. A warofficer, and the case will be tried in the temporarily, Adjutant to the Hongkong Police Court to-morrow.

PAPERS received by the English Mail contain reports of the first annual meeting of Japan and the Straits Limited, which, as was to be expected from the magnificent dividend paid, was very harmonious. report of the proceedings will be given to-

MEETINGS of the East Borneo, Songei Koyah and Lamag Companies were held to-day, at the office of the General Managers (Messrs Gibb, Livingston & Co.) for the purpose of confirming the resolution passed on 27th February last for the winding up of the companies. The resolution was confirmed in each case. Mesars C. S. Sharp and L. Hallward are the liquidators.

The question of liability in connection with the collision which occurred between the No. 2 Police launch and the Deck Company's No. I launch in January last has been the subject of arbitration, with the result that the Police launch has been held to blame. The arbiters were Commander Hastings, Acting Harbour Master, on behalf of the Government, and Capt. Burnie, on behalf of the Dock Company. The evid- | enable the public of Singapore to support | diamonds. The arrangements for the landence of the Chinese who were on board the launches at the time of the accident was taken at the Harbour Office to day. It will be remembered that the Police launch which was struck a little abaft the funnel, sank almost immediately, while the stem of the Dock Co.'s launch was considerably injureð.

It is notified in the Gazette that the Hon. I. H. Stewart-Lockhart has been provid who will now probably less a large portion sionally appointed to be an unofficial member of the Executive Council 'in the place of O. Chadwick, Esquire, C.M.G., absent from the Colony.' This form of announcement, we understand, is what rhymers would call an 'exigency.' As the Governor has no power to make new appointments on the Executive Council before the receipt of the letters patent governing such ap pointment, His Excellency places Ma Stewart Lockhart on the Executive, to fill a vacancy, and that vacancy happens to the one caused-by Mr O. Chadwick's abserice. No one is at all likely to challenge the great desirability of having the Protector of Chinese on the Executive, as office is one of the most important the administration of this Colony, Only, there is no connection whatever between the duties of the Registrar General and those performed at one time by Mr after noon for Hong Kong. Cabert Chadwick.

THERE was a slight collision between the Bench and the Bar this morning, in the course of argument on a preliminary objection, in connection with a case in original jurisdiction, which came "bafore Sir James Russell. The case was Chinese one, and was of a more or less complicated kind, as Chinese cases are apt to be, especially where, as in this instance, a partnership is concerned. The action was originally brought against the partners of the Tsang Heung Wo shop, and the sum claimed was \$1334, for flax deposited with the defendants for sale on commission, and it was alleged that the defendants, whose shop was burned down in May last year, had recovered the sum specified as insurance on the goods. Several of the defendants having left the colony, Mr Pollock, counsel for the plaintiff, proposed to proceed against one of the number. Mr Francis, saids all the provisions in the Code bearing on the procedure in the case, of course I can my no more, - His Lordship: I don't think how else to put it, my Lord.-His Lordprepared to set saide the provisions of the You may call my attention to any point of suggest that the Court will not be governed. by the rules of law. - Ultimately his Lord-Mr Francis applied for costs of the day, but

the Norddeutscher Lloyd steamer Bachsen, Capt. H. von Gassel, carrying the German THE Hongkong Amateur Dramatic Club Singapore yesterday, and may be expected here on or about Thursday, the 19th inst.

THE Tonkin papers report a rather serious Le Courrier d'Haiphong says the treffic in thousand well-armed men are almost in Annamese women has greatly increased of possession of the country, and the militia late. The women are kidnapped or bought seem unable to cope with them. The in the interior by Chinese. A few are sent matives, thinking themselves deserted, via Haiphong, but the majority are sent show signs of co-operating with the

> Wn (Amoy Times) hear that Mr J. G. Got has been appointed Vice-Consul for the Czar of all the Russians at Amoy. THE two last insues of the Engineer receive ed contain views and some description of ar

appreciative nature of the Hongkong High

Ir is notified in the Gazette that Lieut. W.

A Sweeten engineer claims to have invented a new machine for making horseshoe The annual Union Meeting, or Conference, nails out of iron rods, the machinery mak. in connection with the London Mission, the Trust and Loan Company of China, ing 140 strokes per minute, each stroke was held at Kulangsu on Tuesday, the 24th producing two nails.

> At Mauritibs, where the elected and no minated members outnumber the officials the military contribution has been reduced from Rs. 348,000 to Rs. 275,000 by 14 to 12 votes. The latter were all official

> its horns, or retire into its shell.

According to all accounts, the creditors of the Cape of Good Hope Bank have had a windfall. At the time of the liquidation the bank held 30,000 Pigg's Peak shares, In recognition of the care and attention scene; indeed Mr Miln electrified his audiwhich were scheduled at 1s. each. liquidators have managed to sell them at £1, and perhaps regret now that they did not hold them a little longer. Financial

THE Si gapore Free Press of 7th inst. says: adorned with the cognisance of the Im--It has been decided to call a public meet- perial Russian engle studded with diaing under the auspices of the Straits Asso- monds, and to Mr Jennings of the Police, ciation, probably for Friday, in order to a very handsome sapphire ring set with the protest of the unofficial members of the ling, it will be remembered, had to be made Legislative Council against the arbitrary | very hurriedly, and that the Pier looked so enforcement of an exaction from our Colonial revenues for which it is impossible to entirely satisfactory reflects great credit on find any shadow of just ground.

The most regrettable part of the liquidation of Messrs. Jucker, Sigg & Co. is that so many moderately well off people had their the presents have been made officially savings deposited with the house. We hear of pilots, ship captains, up country sgents, and many others in a small way of business of their hard-earned savings. It may, perhaps, be some consolation for them to learn that, according to present calculations, the assets will probably cover 50 per cent, of their claims.

THE Shanghai Mercury says :- We hear that the Chinese men-of-war Chih Yuen and Ching Yuen will leave here thortly to meet the Czarewitch at Hongkong. may perhaps add that the reason of the imperial traveller giving Shanghai the goby was because he was not invited in time, or at least was erroneously given to understand that no special reception would be given him by the Foreign community here. We are sorry that H.I.H. should be under this false impression, but we suppose it

THE following items are from the Londo and China Express of 13th February :-The Tamar, troopship, Captain Hammet,

Admiral Besnard, Commander of the French Navai Division on the China station. has received orders to place the gunboat Vipere at the disposal of the Crarewitch. The Russian Heir-Apparent will embark on board the Vipere at Hongkong or Macao for Canton, on which trip he will be accompanied by Admiral Besnard. The gunboat will subsequently remain at the orders of the Charewitch during his stay in the Far East in order to enable him to navigate fluvial waters which a Russian ironclad of large draught could not enter.

The postal anomalies in the Far East do not pass entirely away. True, for the British Colonies of the Straits Settlements and Hongkong, as also China, the rate from this country for letters is now uniformly. 21d. But it is when we come to look at the homeward rates that the differences appear, for whilst the Straits and Borneo division have reduced the postage from 10 to 5 dollar cents. Honokong end China have only reduced to 7 cents, an awkward sum, and one that does not savour of liberality or foresightedness. Hongkong is in the one that fixed the rate, and even if it involved some loss of revenue at the present moment the rate might, and should, have been lowered to the 5 cents per halfounce. The Post Office at home here still I have the Japan rate under consideration, who appeared for the defence, objected. We believe, but no move has yet been Mr Pollock was entitled to proceed. Mr tor half-ounce, they might surely be drop-Francis: If your Lordship is prepared to set | ped at Japan - the vessels call there for the same rate, rather than be charged 4d.

per half-ounce. The Government have not yet, we bethat is a proper way in which to address forming the additional article of the Chefoo the Court .- Mr Francis: I hardly know argeement with the object of giving notice to discontinue the same. The clause was dress circle, but it does not account for the average. I have been asked by a shareship : I don't think you should address the | thereafter as no notice was given on either Court in that way and suggest that it is side to terminate the same, when it would Code.—Mc Francis : I have not the faintest to the condition they had previously been that it was not larger. Madame Putsy sang more difficult thing to put a value on it; it no doubt that the British Covernment did splendidly and was as generous in respond may be valued at anything from twenty law in the matter, but you have no right to anticipate that the Chinese would support crowded. To hear her in the Handelian take to put a value on it, but we can form and encourage the growth of the poppy in recitative and aria was to enjoy a treat such our own opinions. If there are any other made to repress it. Instead of this course phrases of 'Lascia ch'io pianga' her grand be happy to do so. ship held that Mr Pollock could not proceed. being puraued, however, the Chinese are voice was heard in its full power and beauencouraging the growth of the home article. ty, just as her command over the feelings our getting the Naval contract again? "We his Lordship said he would make no order Their hope is evidently to make up on produced by the tenderness and pathos The Chairman-We tender for it every native opium what is being lost on tea, with which she sang the old fashioned year, but I don't think there is the slightest the magazine at Pearl's Hill. About a fort. exactly succuraging

THE Sanitary Superintendent, in his report for 1890, anys :- In addition to the work carried out by property owners of their own motion's considerable number of houses which were found on inspection to be in an inscritary condition have been retirained at the request of the Board. It has frequently happened during the year that comparatively new pipe drains have become choked, in most cases through misuse, and with a view to assisting and instructing householders how to deal with drains thus cheked, the Inspectors have been furnished with a few simple tools with which, in most cases, by the expenditure of a little time. the drains have been cleared. Care has been taken to explain to householders that rant was issued for the arrest of the chief C. A. Nicholson, R.A., has been appointed, such work is no part of the duty of the inspectors and that it has simply been cleared and if properly used kept clear.

> ultimo, and terminated the Friday follow ing. It was attended by between fifty and in the United States of America, and it was forty delegates from the native churches and a large concourse of people. The districts represented, comprised Amoy, Chiang-Chin, Tio-Thoa, Koan-Koaw, Tengs-be, and Hui an, which is beyond Chin-Chiu a day's journey. The Mission consists of 35 churches and 23 outstations, higher branch of the profession that he has A DERANGEMENT OF METAPHORS. -There is | 1 548 church members, 1,236 converts no place like the House of Commons for a | waiting to be admitted to church membernice derangement of metaphore. A well- ship, and 29 schools. During the past year known Member talked not long ago of the 136 adults were added to the above goodly (Melbourne) in reference to Mr Milb's imbleating of a bruised worm'; and another number of church members, and between orator said :- The British Lion, whether five and six hundred children were baptizit is reaming the deserts of India, or climb. ed. A pleasing feature is the fact, that ing the forests of Canada, will not draw in the native Christians contributed no less than \$3,300. last year for the support of and I regard his reading of the character as their pastors, and considering that no for- absolutely correct. He portrays Hamlet as eign money was received or expended, the above excellent results are most gratifying and speak for themselves .- Amoy Times.

by the officers charged with the duties of subervising the harbour and public arrange. ments at Singapore, His Imperial Highness forgotton by those who were present. has been pleased to present to Captain Cranfurd a handsome silver cigarette case well and the Police arrangements were so those concerned. Chief Inspector Jennings accompanied the Czarewitch in bis informal ramble round the town, so that the jewel in his case not only represents an honour to the Police Force generally, but to himself in particular. through the Consul and the Government we understand, there will presumably be an honoured breach of the rule as to receiving presents. In addition to the above we also hear that the Hon'ble Major McCellum received from H. I. H. the Czarewitch a bern. Mr Miln and Miss Louise Jordan, is scarf-pin consisting of a large suphline set sufficiently testified to by the fact that not Imperial Russian Consult to whom application was made in order that the Czurewitch might learn the names of the officers | ment is the effective manner in which he in 1885/1889 523,583,58 more immediately concerned in the arrangements connected with his reception. Singapore Free Press:

Englishman states, with increasing fre- a succession of stage pictures which served passed the initial stage of common agree, imaginings of the great poet. The first ment on its ultimate necessity, and to have scene presented a charming view of arrived at one where a reasonable pro- Venice, with the Dozes' Palace in leaders of the commercial classes. The while later scenes disclosed a rich salvon embarked 15 officers and 1.4 men at Ply- steady increase of the European mercantile in Portia's house at Belmont, the Judgment mouth on the 11th inst., and sailed soon population of Calculta, the growth of the Hall in the Doges' Palace, hung in sumpout some time ago, this want has been staging of these great plays in India. perienced in the transaction of business in 9th April; Macbeth, Saturday, 11th. the antiquated fashion still in vogue here are, we believe, generally recognised, and the impression as generally prevails that the close commercial relations now estabished between the East and the West render doubly desirable the adoption in India of the more expeditious methods of trading which experience has commended a distinct, and we have no doubt a successful, step in this direction.

MADAME PATEY'S CONCERT. There must have been some unusual combination of circumstances which kept a vided by Madame Patey and her concert round. In consequence of this we have meagre. An entertainment at Governlieve, further considered the opium clause ment House had no doubt something to do to be in force for four years, and so long many vacant seats in all parts of the house. The audience was appreciative even to sucease to exist twelvemonths after notice thusiasm-that goes without saying-but it answer the question, and I find that the was so given. Matters would then revert is something of a reproach to the colony extent of our land there is 175 feet by 100, not at the time the article was signed ing to wencores as if the house had been cents up to a dellar a foot. I cannot under-China; but rather that efforts would be as one does not soon forget. In the noble questions to put that I can answer I shall and driving Indian out of the market of her audience, was shown in the effect got it one year, I think.

During the wook ending 15th, March, | Messus Melchers & Co. informens that The fish-supply of Amoy, this season, is ballad, 'The soldier's tear,' which was prespect of getting it. Mr Dorabjee always night ago the Police took possession of I larger and better then it has been for many given as an encore. Her singing of Tosti's gets it. years. This is true of not only Amoy pro. Veuetian song made the addience again. Mr Legge suggested that the matter might snider ball ammunition, and three thousand present, and from what can be gathered per but of the entire coast with a few clamour for more, and Maet me by moon- be discussed after the representatives of Mails, dated Berlin 17th Feb., left trifling exceptions from Bhanghai to Macso. light was the result. Madame Patey sings the press left. The catch is so large that the Chinese Scotch songs as they ought to be sung, and . The Chairman then proposed the adop racks, where they were placed in the store, round to send them away, seeing the danbabermen are taking much more of their her rendering of My boy Tammie was tion of the report and accounts. scaly cargo up the verlous rivers and no exception. Miss Rossow, whose voice Mr Legge seconded, and the motion was be disposed of by public anotion in about curred. It is not at present known where estuaries to the towns and cities in the has an irresitable charm in whatever she carried. interior than they have done for a long sings, was as great a favourite as she was time. This good fortune is a fair offset to at the provious concert, and that is saying Woodin, H. Crawford, J. D. Hutchison recrudescence of piracy. In one district a the ill-linek which the native fishermen a great deal. She also had to pay the person of piracy. In one district a the ill-linek which the native fishermen a great deal. She also had to pay the person of piracy. In one district a the ill-linek which the native fishermen a great deal. She also had to pay the person of piracy. In one district a the ill-linek which the native fishermen a great deal. in November and December. - Amoy maky of success by giving encores. Her of the Consulting Committee. greatest nuccess was in the favourite ballad Killarney,' which evoked a storm of . Mr Legge moved as an amendment that stuff was dated 1870 and 1871. The work be given it by the Coroner. ing duet La ci daram with Miss Ros- ing Committee. sow, both vocalists won well-merited appro- ! The motion has then carried. ation. Mr Lemmone's flute solo, were of course highly appreciated, as they un- Mr E. S. Whealler as auditor, doubtedly deserved to be, and Mr Morris's - Mr A. G. Stokes seconded, and the may experience in such work us they were put ability as a planist met with warm recogni- tion was carried, dion. A grand popular concert is announced The Chairman intimated that the divid- afford to have serviceable men put on this

> MILN DRAMATIC COMPANY. The opening date of Mr Geo. C. Miln's eason in Hongkong is Saturday next, the Hamlet, in which character Mr Miln has appeared nearly a thousand times.

or Wednesday next.

Although an Englishman by birth, Mr holders the annexed yearly statement an author, orator, and actor.

Since his adoption of the stage Mr Miln has adhered rigidly to the interpretation appropriated as follows, viz:the legitimate drama, and it is in this attained such marked distinction.

The subjoined notice appeared in the Age personation of Hamlet in that city :-

'Mr Miln's conception of this great creation is a most clever and excellent one. a man overwhelmed with grief at his royal father's death, and both aggnish and disgust at the frailty and hastiness of his royal mother. His finest effect was in the closet bestowed upon H. I. H. the Czarewitch ence, and the shouts of acclamation which followed the disappearance, out at the portal, of the ghost, will not readily be Mr Miln is supported by Miss Louise Jordan, a young actress of great personal charms and recognised ability, who caused

so great a sensation among the theatre-going public in Melbourne by her wonderful conception of the character of Ophelia. Melbourne Argus :- 'A great many years have elapsed since the McIbourne stage has been graced by so sympathetic and charming a representative of the character of Ophelia as Miss Louise Jordan, who causes you to lose sight of the actress and to see only the motherless child of the elderly Lord Chamberlain, lonely, sensitive, ten-

der-hearted, shy, gentle, fresh and simple." The same paper thus refers to Miss Kate Douglas's acting as the Queen in Hamlet : Miss Kate Douglas truly astonished everybody present; even her fondest ad- Profit on consignments outmirers were amazed at her success.'

Of the company in support the Singapore Free Press writes :- The excellence of the company, apart from the two leading memwith diamonds. It may here be said that in any one of the miner parts was there at the above-mentioned tokens of H. I. H. any time a movement, a word, or an inflecrecognition were presented upon the re- tion of voice which was in the least in- Cost of land ... commendation of M. de Wywodtzeff, the congruous with the incidents or the Cost of factory, maemotional interest of the play. A special feature in Mr Miln's manage-

mounts each of the plays produced. Less written off Apropos of this the Englishman (Calcutta) wrote :- Mr Miln's fourth production at the Corinthian Theatre quite sustained his Value of rope, homp, &c., in An Exchange for Calcutta.—The quest reputation as a stage manager and added to ion of establishing a mercantile Exchange his laurels as an actor. The Merchant of in Calcutta is one that recurs, the Calcutta | Venice was presented on Saturday night in quency. Already it may be said to have as an adequate frame for the opulent spectus of the undertaking would receive distance, a highly realistic canal in the fore- Sundry debtors... more than casual consideration from the ground, and Shylock's house beside it; Cush at factory... trade, with the greater subdivision of its | tuous plushes, and, last of all, a charming | Capital 3. 60 shares at \$50 various branches and their separate direct view by sunset of Portia's mansion. We tion by specially qualified experts, have call especial attention to the mounting of Reserve fund ... made the want of a common daily meeting. | the play, because Mr Miln is the first place more strongly felt. As we pointed | manager who has attempted an adequ to etrikingly-manifested by the formation of The programme for the Hongkong sea-

the many small Associations whose periodi- son, which will be rigidly adhered to, is : cal meetings are designed to further trade - Hamlet, Saturday and Tuesday, 21st and interests, which would be as effectively 24th inst; Merchant of Venice, Thursday, served by the institution of daily high 26th; Richard III, Saturday, 28th; Romeo 'Change.' We have so often dwelt on the | and Juliet, Wednesday and Thursday, 1st many other advantages which we ald attend and 2nd April; Rob Roy, Saturday and the proposed innovation, that it is needless Monday, 4th and 6th April; Othello, to reiterate them. The difficulties ex- Wednesday, 8th; Lady of Lyons, Thursday, The Box Plan is now open for each performance at Mossrs Kelly and Walsh's.

THE CHINA BAKERY CO.

f the abareholders of this Company was to mercantile men elsewhere. The erection held to-day. There were present: Messreof a central mercantile Exchange would be H. Crawford (Chairman), D. McColloch, H. G. James, W. Legge, A. G. Stokes, J. McCallum, A. H. Skelton and M. G. Par-

The Chairman said - You have, as usual. had the report and accounts in your hands for three or four days, gentlemen, large number of the music-loving members and I presume I may take them as read. community away from the Theatre The result of the year's working, you will observe, is considerably better than Royal on Saturday evening; for, consider the previous year's, and this is owing ing the quality of the entertainment pro- to our having a better business all been able to declare a dividend of 85 per party, the attendance was surprisingly share, which is equal to ten per cent, said at last annual meeting that I expected we should see this result, and I am glad that the expectation has been realised. with the comparative emptiness of the The prospects for this year are about the holder to state how much land the Bakery Company holds at East Point. I have looked up the matter so as to be able to Mr A. G. Stokes-Is there any chance of.

Mr McCallum accorded.

delight the audience heard her Mr H. G James be elected in his stead. Off to Philadelphia, and in the conclude not be able to accept a seat on the Consult. to allow the men'to be left alone. The men tient.

Mr Skelton proposed the re-election of

end warrants would be issued to-morrow.

THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFAC-TURING COMPANY, LIMITED. The following is the report for presentation to the shareholders at the seventh The work was resumed in the Bar- wrecked houses, and the insurgents have done to show them how the drains can be 21st inst, the first performance being ordinary general meeting to be held at the office of the General Managers on Mouday, 23rd March, at 3 o'clock p.m :-We have the pleasure to submit to share

Milu has spent the greater part of his life accounts of the Company made up to 31st December, 1890. The gross profit, including the balance sixty pastors and preachers, besides about in that country that he made his name as brought forward from last year, amounts to \$39,119.60, and after writing off \$5,000 for depreciation of plant and machinery, there kerosine case between them, one man was

> 'e place to reserve fund\$10.000. To pay a dividend of 12 per cent 18 000 loaving a balance of \$6,119.60 to be carried forward to next year's account.

> The demand for the Company's rope throughout the year was steady and the factory was in consequence able to run continuously for a much longer period than in the pravious twelve months. The hemp market also fluctuated less and business in rope was therefore not interfered with by sudden changes in prices.

with the articles of association Messrs. D. Gillies, J. S. Moses and T. E. Davies retire, but offer themselves for re-election. Auditors. - The acc unts have been audited by Messra, T. Arnold and F. Henderson, and these gentlemen are recommended for re-election.

Russell & Co., General Managers Hongkong, 12th March 1891. PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT, FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1890. Repairs and maintenance of machinery and buildings ... amount written off factory. buildings, machinery, &c., as depreciation for 1890

Consulting Committée 50,020.10 Balance at credit 31st Decemstanding on Hist December, Balance of working account ... BALANCE SHEET.

the injury caused by the explosion became chinery, &c. ... \$'58 583.58 away had his turban blown off and his face Insurance premin appertaining

\$263,243,43

Due General Managora Sundry creditors Balance of profit and loss ac-FEARFUL EXPLOSION AT THE POLICE BARRACKS. SINGAPORE.

Due the Hongkong and Shang-

hai Banking Corporation

EIGHTREN PERSONS SERIOUSLY INJURED-FIVE NATIVE CONSTABLES DEAD. The nineteenth ordinary general meeting bullets were being extracted at the Police say fully charged without the bullets being with that by way of Nepal. With the railway Hire and exploded, severely injuring an Eu- that some of them might go off while being warded to and from Calculta. mean constable, fourteen Maley con treated by outsiders. stables, a Sikh constable; and two of the

his recovery is looked upon as hopeless.

the two children who were injured.

put on the work were eight in number and atrange to say they were all recruits, men who had not been on street duty, and apperently, men who would not have the least to. The police, it is alleged, could not work, so with a view of keeting the street something like ten thousand cartridges ed, Iquique. Upwards of two hundred had ben treated without any mishap, women and children have perished in the yard about mid-day, yesterday, landed and pillaged the town. altogether eight men-being employed, and as usual Sergeant Wolf was supervising.

Before the work commerced each day the yesterday lautiched two new ironclads the men were strictly cautioned not to in any Royal Arthur and the Royal Sovereim. way bring a light near the spot, and to use at Portsmoth, in the presence of huge the greatest care in their work. It seems that the mode of extracting the bullets was in itself one not to be advocated; the system was this: Two men had a wooden remain \$34,110.60, which it is proposed be at each end, and with the left hand the men held the cap end of the cartridge with the bullet over the juside of the case, and, resting the cartridge on the edge of the case, they would strike the cartridge case just below the bullet with a hammer, and reperally one or two blows were sufficient to get rid of the lead. work proceeded satisfactorily up about 3.35 p.m., when Sergeant Wolf was called away by a Superintendent to attend to some other dury, which involved his absence for about five minutes. Before leaving the place Sergeant Wolf called Consta-Consulting Committee. In accordance ble Bunting who was acting as his assistant in the store, and requested him to remain and watch the men while he went upstairs. The Sergeant had hardly been away a couple of minutes when there was a terrific explosion followed by screams and shrip: s. Surgeant Wolf ran downstairs with all speed and the scene which lav before him was heartrending. Constable Bunting had all his clothes on fire, and was making frantio efforts to get rid of the burning garments. The two children were running about screaming from the severity of the burns, and it seemed as if all the Malays were on fire for they were running about tearing off their clothing. which consisted of sarongs and singlets, as against the Empress Frederick while in none of them were in regimentals. native ran by Sergeant Wolf with his of the passport rules in Alsace. sarong all ablaze. A sharp tug detached the garment and the poor fellow rushed to a tub of water in the Barrack ground, and jumped in and quenched the fire; but the agony must have been horrible. The chil- exaggeration, and remind the Germans dren were the first to be removed in a of the tranquil attitude of the Parisians gharry to the hospital. Superintendents generally. Anyhow the visit of the Em-Cuscaden and Newland and Inspector Mc- press is considered to be a failure as a Gregor happened to be in the Barracks at | means of reconciliation between the two the time, and so soon as they knew of countries. The Empress left Paris to-day the matter they gave valuable aid. Large without any incident occurring. mantities of oil wore brought in, and what little clothing remained on the men was torn off, and their injured tinues with unabated virulence. Several bodies were saturated with oil. It Fronch papers have made bitlerest rewas only at this stage that the extent of ference to Alsace.

> and hands slightly burned. As quickly as the hospital, and the medical officers that institution had all their work to do in binding up the wounds. In the majority of cases it was found necessary to swathe the whole body in oil and bandages, as the Aston Manor, died yesterday. men were burned from head to foot. When Sergeant Wolf left the ground in 991 50 charge of Constable Bunting there were derseo, late Chief of the Staff, will replace three wooden kerosene cases more than Count Mubster as German Ambassador in half full of the cartridges which had already | Paris. pieces, and the cartridge cases were found blackened and so rehed, and the ground would drive from Ireland and the House of 15,000,00 looks as if there had been a hoge benfire. Commons. built upon it. There were altogether six wooden kerosens cases, and the three cases already referred to were placed at a distance 22,691.93 of some three or four yards away from the House of Representatives have reported where the actual work was going on. The in favor of Free Coinage, and state that

wood of the cases were picked up and vernment to maintain the double standard placed in the store where they now are. In connection with the orders for this made of treatment of old ammunition, al that can be found out is that orders were issued by the Police authorities to treat condemned cartridges in this fashion during larygoeal tubercles than Dr Koch's. the latter part of last year. At various times since then, bullets have been removed The Straits Times of 10th March :- without any accident. It is maintained About twenty minutes to 4 o'clock yester that this is done as a matter of safety to coming to their senses as trade by the day afternoon, a large number of con- the public, for it is alleged that if these Sikkim route has steadily revived, and, in demned snider cartridges from which the cartridges were sold as they are, that is to a few years, this route should hold its own Barracks. Central Station, suddenly caught extracted, there is an element of danger to Darjeeling goods can rapidly be for

The scene at the hespital this morning | Calcutta, 25th February, -The Com Chief Inspector's children who happened to was most pitiful. All the men were on mittee of the Bengal Chamber of Commerce be in the vicinity at the time. All the veloped in bandages and in many cases, the has decided that its Sub-Committee on Fin. injured people were removed to the hos- only open place was the face which was auce shall proceed immediately to the conpital as quickly as possible, where every- distigured to such an extent as to be beyond sideration of the silver question as affecting thing was done to assuage the severe pain recognisability. Each man was surrounded Indian trade, and that the Government of consequent on the burns. One of the by a little knot of friends, and in some India will be formally approached on the Malays died just before midnight, and at 3 instances by wives and children who bore subject as suggested in the President's o'click this morning another died, and up grandly in the screetime of trouble. recent address. three hours later two more, and at the time Just about 8 o'clock, two of the men sucof writing it is anticipated that three others cumbed to their fearful injuries. The will not survive the day. One of the chil- Sudah mati tuan was followed by the atdren named John Jennings, aged 8 years, tendents stripping the bandages off the is so badly burned all over the body that poor follows, and removing the bodies the to morgue prior to the necessary inquest. No one seems to be able to speak as to little buot of friends of the deceased men the origin of the explosion, and all that can congregated outside, and silently mouned be found out in this respect is a rumour to their griof. They all seemed very will the effect that one of the men after lighting ing that the bodies should be interred a small roce or eigarette threw away the in one ground at Campong Glam. The rad match which fell near some of the explosive oatastrophe is the more deplorable when it material. But this is only a rumour, as is remembered that all the men were rethere is another which would point towards cruits who gave every promise of making first class policemon. From all that can be gathered, it appears In connection with the economical policy

that it has invariably been the custom of the Government, the following details the police authorities, when possessed of give some idea of the gain resulting from old condemned ammunition, to remove the the extraction of these bullets. About 15 bullets, in order to sell them as old lead, bullets are required to make I ib. and the and to have the cases, with the gunpowder, price of old lead is about 4th cents per 1b. taken out to see and thrown overboard. Eight men have been engaged on the work When possessed of any such stuff, the since last Thursday, and it is estimated nolice report the same at headquarters, and that with the same number of men the a Board of Officers generally enquire into 27,000 cartridges might be completed by the matter, and either condemn or say that next Saturday. The financial gain from the stuff is still fit for service. This Board this, after deducting the cost of labour, some time ago condemned a large quantity transport, official entries &c., may be deof ball ammunition, which was stored in duced by anyone with a result that is not

It may be said that when Sergeant Woll about twenty-seven thousand rounds of went away that the children were not then blank cartridges, and these were removed from Bunting, it seems that the children to the Central Police Station, or the Bar- | had hardly come up, and he was turning preparatory to the bullets being extraoted to | ger they were in, when the explosion oca fortnight's time. All this administron the children were standing at the time. Mr. Parlane moved that Messra E. L. had been proviously tested in the rifle and There were two distinct explosions of great was found to be unserviceable except a force, and it is stated that if the powder ed by a red ring and believed to be escaped. The sad occurrence calls for the dated about 1872, while the unacreiceable most stringent enquiry, which will no doubt applause, and it was with very evid. J. D. Hutchison be not re-elected and that of extracting these billets commenced on This morning H. F. the Governor sent

Thursday last under the immediate super. down his Private Secretary to the hospital repent the last verse of the song. Mr James Before the amendment is vision of Sergeant Wolf, a most careful to enquire bow the inquired mon were pro-Patey was cordially applauded for his put, I beg to state that I shall probably be officer, who took the precaution to be always greasing. Sir Frederick Dicks in was very rendering of " Honour and Arms' and going home shortly, and I shall therefore on the spot during the operation, and never early at the hospital and visited each ba-

NEWS BY THE ENGLISH MAIL.

THE REVOLUTION IN CHILL-WOMEN AND CHILDREN KILLED: London, Fobroary 20th According to duty running smoothly, these mexperienced indirect tolegrams from the anat of war in men were set to work to extract the bullets Chili, received in London, the insurgents from these cartridges. Up till Saturday are bombarding, and have simost destroy.

> LAUNCH OF TWO NEW IRONCLADS. London, February 27th.-The Queen crowds of spectators who displayed great enthusiasm. The weather was superb. -- LORD CROSS AND THE LANCASHIRM

COTTON TRADE. Lord Cross has declined to receive deputation from the Lancashire Cotton trade relative to the Indian factory laws. believing that the Indian Government Bill in reference thereto will satisfy all purposes. THE WHITECHAPEL MURDER.

London, February 28th. - The inquestion the body of the woman, lately murdered in Whitechapel, has been concluded. The Coroner's Jury returned a verdict that the death of the woman was the result of murder by some unknown person.

BUICIDE AT WOOLWICH. London, February 28th. - Captain Bower. of the Royal Artillery, committed suicide esterday in his quarters at Woolwich by chooting himself.

AUSTRALIAN AND INDIAN POST-CARDS. London, February 28th .- Mr Raikes, the Postmaster General, in reply to a question n the House of Commons, said it was not convenient to reduce Australian and Indian post-card rates at present, but he admitted that there was ground for a change when favorable occasion arose.

ANTI-GERMAN AGITATION IN PARIS. Paris, February 26th.—Great irritation is felt at the visit of the Empress Frederick to Versailles and Saint Cloud. Berlin, February 27th -- Germany has retorted to the demonstrations made

Paris by revoking the intended mitigation. Paris Feb. 27. - The French newspapers resent the gallophobe article in the Cologne Gazetic on the treatment of the Empress Frederick in Paris, which they say is an London, March let .-- The conflict between the French and German press con-

Berlin, February 28th .- The North Gerknown, for it appears that although there man Gazette, in an article on the incident were only eight men actually at work, six connected with the visit of the Empres of their comrades were standing near, and Frederick to Paris and the irritation that were chatting to the men when the accident has followed, declares that all Germans occurred. A Sikh constable who was pass from the Alps to the sea will unite in case

ing along the verandah about twenty yards lof danger. THE GERMAN EMPRESS AT WINDSOR. London, February 28th .- The Empresa possible all the injured were removed to Frederick has arrived at Windsor, and has been received with acclamation.

DEATH OF AN M.P. London, March 1st. - Mr George Kynoch. Conservative Member of Parliament for

THE GERMAN AMBAESADOR IN PARIS. It is currently reported that Count Wal-

been treated, and these cases were blown to MR PARNELL DECLARES WAR TO THE KNIFE London March 2nd -- Mr Parnell scattered all over the ground. A tree just speaking at Navan yesterday. denounced where the work was being carried on is the Anti-Paraellites, whom he said he

THE COINAGE COMMITTEE AND COINAGE Woshington, March 1st, -A minority of the members of the Coinage Committee of remains of the cartridges, and the charred they are confident of the ability of Gowithout European assistance.

> DR KOCH'S RIVAL - Berlin, 27th Feb .- Dr Virchow has publicly recommended Professor Liebreich's remedy, which he believes to be better for

> Allahabad, 23rd February. -The Pioneer remarks that the Tibetans appear to be

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> > Hongkong, March 11, 1891

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Merchant Vessels in Bongkong Earbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing at

11. Jardine's Wharf.

Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowloong shore k., and those in the body of the Shipping or midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

1. From Green Islan ! to the (I sa Works." 7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings. 2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf. 8. From Blue Buildings to East Point. 3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour Master's Olion. 9. From Kellett's Island to North Point, 4. From Harbour Master's to the P. and O. Co.'s Office. 10. Kowloon Wharves. 5. From P. and O. Co.'s O has to Poddar's Wharf.

6. From Peddar's Whare total Naval Yard.

Flag and Date of Consiguees or Agents: Vegtel's Name. Papian. Destination. A Remarks. Stonmer " 355 Mar. 16 A. R. Marty Haiphong Hoihow, &c. 400 Mar. 14 Wieler & Co. To-morrow Crew of the fellowing Vessels, during Arratoon Apcar 5 c Spence "....... Brit. str. 1392 Mar. 11 David Sassoon, Sons & Co. To-morrow Avochie 3 c Rowin Brit. str. 1005 Mar. 13 A. G. Morris Ching-wo 5 c Perelle Brit. str. 1556 Mar. 16 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. To-morrow str. 4098 Mar. 16 P. & O. S. N. Co. To-morrow 1197 Mar. 16 Siemssen & Co. 18th inst. str. 1649 Mar. 15 Melchers & Co. 747 Feb. 17 Melchers & Co. 509. Mar. 8 Douglas Steamship Co. . 5 h Davis Brit. Coast Ports To-morrow Frejr 3 c Lund Dan. 419 Mar. 16 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Hoihow, &c. str. 4205 Mar. 14 O. & O. S. S. Co. Gaelie 5 c Pearne Brit. 23rd inst. San Francisco General Werder 10 Eichel . Uer. 1-20 Mar. 13 Melchers & Co. str. 1764 Mar. 11 Adamson, Bell & Co. Saigon To-morrow str. 1381 Mar. 15 Butterfield & Swire Shanghai To-morrow str. 1386 Mar. 16 Butterfield & Swire Patroclus 5 o Pulford Brit. 18th inst. Phra Nang...... 3 h Watton Brit. str. 1021 Mar. 13 Yuen Fat Hong H. K. & W. Dock Co. Pilot Fish 11 Stopani Brit. 161 703 Mar. 11 Tuck Yue & Co. Amoy and Tameni 828 Mar. 15 Bun Hin Chan & Co. Tai Lee 3 c Calender Ger. str. 1671 Mar. 4P. & O. S. N. Co. Bombay, &c. 25th inet. Tellus 8 c Amundsun Brit. str. 1948 Mar. 14 Mitsu Bishi Tetartos8 h Breitung.......Ger. str. 1057 Mar. 14 Eduard Schellhass & Co. 19th inst. Sourabaya ' str. 819 Dec. 3 Douglas Steamship Co. Thales,..... 5 h Hunter Brit. str. 1676 Mar. 12 P. & O. S. N. Co. Thibet......Brit. str. 350 Dec. 11 Chinese Triumph 3 c Bruhn Ger. 674 Feb. 28 Eduard Schellhass & Co. Hoihow, &c. Verona 5 c Seymour..... Brit. str. 1876 Mar. 16 P. & O. S. N. Co. Yokohama 20th inst. 612 Mar. 9 Wieler & Co. Sailing Vessels 4 Jardine. Matheson & Co. Abner Coburn 8 e Nichols Brit. sh. 1980 Mer. Adolph Obrig 8 c Carleton Amer. 1 qc. 1876 Mar. 6 Reuter, Bröckelmann & Co. 954 Mar. 10 Arahold, Karberg & Co. B c Morse Brit. bge. 1 Order 3 c Waterhouse ... Amer. bge. Georgietta 3 c Kasten Amer. bqe. 336 Mar. Great Admiral 5 c Rowell Amer. sh. 1497 Mar. 11 R. L. Loxley & Co. . 5 c Banuan Ger. bge. 923 Feb. Heinrich..... 398 Nov. 17 Gonsalves & Co. 9 Master Landskrona 9 c Boyd firit. bge. 1370 Jan. 9 Jardine, Matheson & Co. Lucy A. Nickels 8 h Nichola Amer. sh. 1330 Jan. 20 Carlowitz & Co. 5 c Norris Brit. bqs. 594 Mar. 6 Wieler & Co. . 5 k Inokay Brit. bge. 18 Gibb. Livingston & Co. 729 Feb. Sara Mersedes 3 k Munistega Peruv. bqe. 245 July 4 Mester

Mer Brita anic Majesty's Ships on the China Station.

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Nome.	Rig.	Toras.	Guns.	<i>I.H.</i> P.	Captain.	Where at
Alacrity	despatch-vessel	1700	4	3180	Com. Chas. H. Adair	Cruising
Caroline	or uiser .	1400	14	1440	Captain Clutterbuck	Singapore
Egoria	surveying ship	740			Commander A. M. Field	Borneo
Cak	g-br. Srd class coast defence	863	3	340		In reserve
Pirecrand	gunboat 2nd class	455	4	460	Lieut Com Denison	Hongkong
Hyacinth	oruiser	1420	8	1190	Captain Robt. W. Craigie	Yokohama
Impérieuse*	twinscrew battle ship	, 8400	10	10000	Captain Eduard S. Pos	Hongkong
Leander	oruise: 2nd class	4300	10	6500	Captain Burges Watson	Hongkong
Lincot	gun-vesse 2nd class	756	- 5	1050	Commander V. A. Tisdall	Shanghai
Mercury	cruiser	8730	_ 13	7290	Capt. Chan. J. Balfour	Ozuleing
Peacock	gunboat 1st class	750	6	, 12 00	Lieut. Commander Ingram	Hongkong
Pigmy	gunboat 1st class	755	6	1200	Lieut. Com. Hewest	Nagazaki
Plover	gunboat 1st class	755	6	1200	Lieut. Com. E. G. Rason	Singapore
Porpoise 🔨	steel torpedo cruizer	1770	6,	8500	Commander R. W. White	Houghong
Rattler	gunboat lat class	715	6	··· -1 200	Lieut. Com. J. G. Heugh	Hongkong
Redpole	gunboat lat class	805	6	1200	LieutCom. F. Wm. Freeman	Hongkong
Severn	- truiser	4050	12	- £000	Captain Hall	Hengkony
Solent	torpedo mining launch	150	-	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		Hongkong
Swift	gun vesset 2nd class	758	5	1010	. Commander Robt. D. B. Bruce	On a cruise
Tweed	g-bt. 3rd class coast defence	363	3	340		In reserve
Victor Emagnet	receiving ship	õ157	14		Commodore E. J. Church	Hongkong
Wivern	coast defenceship, armoured	2750	4	1450		Hongkong

Toredo Boats in Reserve Nos. 8, 20, 35, 36, 37 and 38, first class; and 3 second class boats.

+ Expected shortly from Cape of Good Hope Archer, Steel Tor. Cruiser, 1,770 tons, 6 gurs, 3,500 I.H.P., Com. John Ferris, Relief for Wanderer.

* Flagship of Vice-Admiral Sir Fred. W. Richards, K.C.B.

Wandering Jew...... 8 h Nichols Amer. sh. 1650 Feb.

Wm. Le Lacheur 5 c Cauld Brit. boe. 573 Mar.

H. B. M. Ships' tonnage, displacements and exective horse powers are given according to H. M. Navy list.

Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

Name.	Flag and Rif.	Tons.	Guns.	H.P.	Captain.	H here at
			<u></u>	10 may 1/2		
Admiral Nakhimoff	Russian armored cruiser	8000	22 -	8000	Captain Fedotoff	Japan
Aleout	Russian gunboat	800			Captain Parenego	Nagasaki
Alexandrine	German cruiser	3200			Captain Schmider	Swatow
Alliance	U. S. gunboat	615			Captain H. C. Taylor	-Yokohama
Aragon	Spanish cruiser	1908			Captain A. Soler	On a cruise
Aspic	French gunboat	470	4	450	Commander Journet	Shanghai
Chasseur	French despatch-vessel	_			Captain Bagard	Saigon
Litis	German gunbeat	489	_		Captain Ascher	Shanghai
Inconstant	French gunboat	8C0	<u> </u>	_ 1	Capt. de Jonquières	Manila
Leipzig	German orpiser	3800			Captain Röttger	Amoy
Lutin	French gunboat	485	4	425	Captain Nany	Touron
Marion	U. S. corvetto	1900	7	1170	Commander Dyer	Kobe
Monocacy	U. B. aloop	1370	6	1470	Lieut. Com. M. L. Johnson	Nagasaki
Omaha	U. S. corvette	2400	12	1150	Capt. Cromwell	Yorohama
Palos	U. S. gunboat	420	6	500	Liout Com. Craig	Nagasaki
Playler	French gunbost	540		420	Lieut. Commander Lapled	Haiphong
Rio Lima	Portuguese gunboat	640			Captain J. R. Santa Barbara	Hongkong
Sivootch	Russian cruiser	990	1	1000	Commander Kasherininoff	Shanghai
Sophie	German oruiser	2100		-	Captain Herbing	Amoy
Swatara	corvette	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			Commander John McGowan	Kobe
Tejo	Portuguese gunbost	500	31	100	Lient Com. C. R. Caminha	Macao
Triomphante	French cruiser	4500			Capt. Luciniere	Manila
Villars	French cruiser				Captain Mayet	Huphong
Viper	French gunboat	480	. s	425	Commander Constella	Hongkong
Volturno	Italian gunboat	846			Captain Roych	Shanghai
Wolf	German guobes:	84	6	340	Captain Hellhoff	Amoy

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